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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **APPARATUS, MECHANISM AND PROCESS FOR WARMING-UP FUEL CELL**

Enclosed are:

- ☐ This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application serial no. _____ filed on _____ entitled _____.
- ☒ 49 pages of specification, 5 pages of claims, 1 pages of abstract.
- ☒ 13 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-13).
- ☒ An executed Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney..
- ☒ An Application Data Sheet.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha. A recordation form cover sheet (Form PTO 1595) is also enclosed.
- ☒ A certified copy of corresponding priority document: Japanese Patent Appln. No. 2001-016523 filed January 25, 2001.
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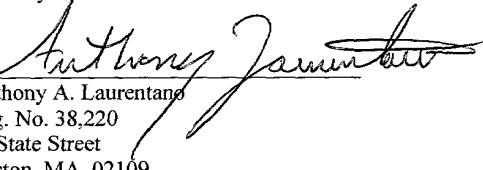
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